

# \$5,000. Reward for the Arrest and Conviction of—

—the parties who originated and circulated, the rumor that "Force" Food contained drugs or other injurious ingredients.

\$5,000. additional will be paid to anyone proving that "Force" does, or ever did, contain any drug or other injurious or unhealthful ingredient, being composed solely of Wheat and Barley, with a seasoning of table salt, steam cooked, flaked, and roasted.

Do us the justice, if you question the absolute purity or healthfulness of "Force," to send a package to the Health Department of your city for analysis.

## The "FORCE" Food Company. BUFFALO, N. Y.

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, Boston, June 25, 1903.

**Dr. "Force" Food Company, Buffalo, N. Y.**  
GENTLEMEN—A rumor having reached me that your product, "FORCE," contained injurious ingredients, I took the occasion to analyze it, in the interest of my own family and of some friends who are liberal buyers of it.

It may interest you to know that I found it consisted exclusively of Whole Wheat, Barley and Salt, and is absolutely free from any injurious elements whatever.

Permit me to express my sincere regret that such a serious and baseless rumor should gain footing with the public.

You are free to use this letter in any way that will help to do your product justice.

Yours truly,

WILBUR L. SCOVILLE.

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, Boston, June 30, 1903.

**To Whom It May Concern:**

At the invitation of The "FORCE" Food Company, of Buffalo, I have visited their Mills and made a careful examination of the materials from which "FORCE" is prepared, and the processes which convert it into its finished condition.

I found that "FORCE" consists exclusively of Whole Wheat and Barley, with a seasoning of Table Salt, flaked, cooked and sterilized by 300 degrees of heat.

A feature of the manufacture which impressed me considerably was the fact that the process is entirely mechanical, the food being prepared, cooked and boxed by machinery, without ever coming in contact with the hands or clothing of the mill operatives.

I was also gratified to note that an experienced chemist daily supervised the entire output, and that each day's manufacture was also tested by an expert cook.

Signed, WILBUR L. SCOVILLE, Professor of Theory and Practice of Chemistry.

Chemical Laboratory, University of Buffalo, Buffalo, N. Y.

HERBERT M. HILL, Ph.D., Analytical Chemist and Assayer.

June 29, 1903.

**The "Force" Food Company, Buffalo, N. Y.**

GENTLEMEN—In view of the rumors regarding the alleged adulteration of "FORCE," it has been a satisfaction to me to visit your Mills, investigate, and analyze your product.

You are free to publish this statement made over my signature, that I found "FORCE" to be absolutely pure, consisting solely of Whole Wheat and Barley, flaked with table salt, and free from any injurious substance whatever.

I examined, in detail, the various steps in the manufacture of your product, such as the steam cooking, the flaking and the roasting, as well as the packing, and find all to be remarkably clean and of absolute healthfulness. The final roasting is done at a temperature above 300° F., which, with the steam cooking, completely sterilizes the product, and the entire process, from the first step to the final sealing of the package, is a mechanical one, the product of no time coming in contact with the hands or clothing of the persons handling the machines or packages.

Very respectfully,

HERBERT M. HILL, Chemist to the City of Buffalo.

See page 148 of "Cereal Breakfast Foods," Bulletin No. 34, of the Maine Experiment Station, a State Institution, which has analyzed "FORCE" with other foods, in the public interest.

Copy will be mailed free on request.

Refer also to Canadian Government Bulletin 54 on similar subject, pages 6 and 29, for analysis showing that "FORCE" consists solely of the most wholesome and nutritious ingredients.

Any inquiries concerning this subject will be cheerfully answered by

THE "FORCE" FOOD COMPANY, Buffalo, N. Y.

## POMP WILL MARK CANONIZATION. KING IN AN AUTO ENJOYS IRELAND.

Russian Emperor and High Dignitaries of Church and State to Attend Exercises.

### ST. SERAPHIM'S LIFE NOTABLE.

Many Miracles Are Attributed to the Hermit Who Spent His Life at Saroff Monastery—Grave Visited by Millions.

St. Petersburg, July 20.—The ceremonies at the monastery at Saroff promise to be interesting.

The relics of St. Seraphim will be exposed for adoration after five days' of religious exercises.

These relics have been installed in a solid silver casket beneath a silver baldachin.

The expense of the installation was borne by the Emperor from his private purse, and his majesty testified his interest by writing the following original note on the act of canonization:

"Read with feelings of genuine pleasure and deep emotion."

The monastery which is the scene of the ceremonial is a women's asylum several miles from the village of Saroff.

The attendance includes the imperial family and court with many officials and multitudes of pilgrims.

The holy synod has issued a statement that it regards the "appearance of a new minister, Aculous Intercessor, as a renewal of heaven's blessing upon the Government of our most exalted monarch, who labors unceasingly for the welfare of the orthodox Russian people and embraces in his royal love and care all the true subjects, of every class and condition."

Most elaborate preparations have been made for the celebration. All of the pomp and magnificence of the Eastern Church, with its most impressive and elaborate ceremonies, its imposing processions and its solemn liturgies will be employed.

The hermit, Fr. Seraphim, died in 1833 at an advanced age. He was a man of piety and miraculous intercession with heaven seems to have been his constant occupation, and to have grown steadily during his life, and to have grown steadily during his life, and to have grown steadily during his life.

An inquiry was begun in 1892 into the alleged miracles of the hermit, and he satisfied the holy synod of their verity.

As a result, an act of canonization, under the name of St. Seraphim, was issued on January 29, which date was added to the orthodox calendar.

An authoritative biography says that St. Seraphim's father was a pious merchant, who built stone and brick churches in South Russia. His widow continued the work, and it is related that her little son accompanied her on a tour of inspection, and fell from a great height to the ground without being hurt.

When only 17 years old, Seraphim, who was called himself in all religious exercises, entered a great granite block into his cell in order that his knees might not rest easily during his long prayers. Later in life he spent fifteen years in silent meditation, during which time he did not leave his hermit's cell except when absolutely necessary.

When he resumed intercourse with the world all classes of people flocked to him for advice. The hermit's wisdom, his questions before they were put and letters that he never unsolicited, that revealed the innermost secrets of the heart and foretold future events. Since his death many millions of pilgrims have visited his grave.

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### BRADFORD CASE CONTINUED.

Defendant Says He Can Prove His Title to Land.

Henry A. Bradford, who was arrested last Tuesday on the charge of using the mails for fraudulent purposes, was brought before United States Commissioner Herbert Bradford yesterday for preliminary examination, but, at the request of the United States Attorney, the case was continued until August 13. Mr. Bradford was ready for trial.

He is accused of using the mails to promote the sale of town lots to which he had no title. The land is in Scott County, Tennessee, and Mr. Bradford claims that it is a subdivision of the town of Helenwood. To the Republic he said last night:

"The Federal authorities have been arresting a large number of men in connection with land frauds in Scott County, and by mistake they have confined me with them. I bought the land from a salesman to own from Bronson Kelley, a salesman for the Mississippi Valley Trust Company. That company was acting for Elizabeth Duncan. I received a warranty deed for the land, and am willing to rest my case on the papers which I have. I wish to have my books to be inspected by any one."

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**NO LICENSE FOR BADARACCO.**  
Applicant Did Not Have Sufficient Signatures on Saloon Petition.

Excise Commissioner Selbert yesterday refused to grant a license to Joseph Badaracco for a saloon at No. 1045 North Grand avenue. Badaracco failed to obtain the necessary two-thirds signatures of the neighboring property owners.

When the applicant gets from one-half to two-thirds of the property owners to sign his request for a license, the granting is optional with the Excise Commissioner. When two-thirds or more are obtained, the Commissioner is compelled to issue the license by law.

**Half Rate to Pittsburg and Return.**  
Via Big Four, August 2, 3, 4. Get tickets and particulars Broadway and Chestnut.

**TRIED TO CHEW DYNAMITE.**  
Steer Was Blown to Pieces Near Kenney, Ill.

Kenney, Ill., July 20.—A steer weighing about 1,500 pounds, owned by John Alexander, who lives just west of here, found a stick of dynamite in the grass while grazing near a quarry yesterday afternoon. The steer began to chew the stick, when it was exploded.

The steer was torn to pieces. There was not a particle of the head, except a horn, to be found anywhere. Portions of the steer's body were blown into the surrounding trees.

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**WOMEN CUSTOMS EXAMINERS.**  
Secretary Cortelyou Decides to Make the Experiment.

Washington, July 20.—Secretary Cortelyou has decided to select a limited number of women from eligible lists, furnished by the civil service, for appointments as matrons in the immigration service to be heard on coming vessels and assist in the examination of women passengers.

Journeys Overland Through Wild and Picturesque Regions of Connemara.

### PEOPLE GREET HIM HEARTILY.

In a Speech at Leenane, His Majesty Expresses Satisfaction at the State of the Cottage Industries.

Galway, July 20.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra continued by motor to-day their inspection of some of the wildest and most picturesque regions of Ireland.

The start was made at 9 o'clock from the little town of Leenane, on the shore of Killybeg Bay, where the Mayor, the local rector, the parish priest and a deputation representing 2,000 inhabitants of the wild Connemara Mountains presented an address.

The King, in replying, said he had already inspected some of the cottage industries and he wished to assure the inhabitants that he was equally pleased with the spirit of the industrial activity and the warm, hearty welcome of the people.

The hearty tone of his Majesty's speech was received with every evidence of appreciation.

The royal party drove off in motor through the beautiful lake and mountain country, everywhere greeted warmly by the inhabitants, many of whom journeyed long distances to catch a sight of them.

The motor journey ended at Reeces, where the party had luncheon. The town was surrounded by a guard of honor of "Connemara Cavalry," mounted on the surrounding country astride of saddleless mountain ponies wearing "jerry" hats decorated with tricolor ribbons and green rosettes.

Their Majesties took a train for Galway and arrived here late in the afternoon. They met with an enthusiastic reception.

**HAS A MANIA FOR FASTING.**  
William Sorrel Has Not Touched Food for Twenty-Five Days.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Huntville, Mo., July 20.—William Sorrel, for ten years an inmate of the county infirmary, has fasted for twenty-five days.

The authorities of the home fear that he cannot live much longer at this rate, but all efforts to induce him to take food have been unavailing.

Sorrel gives no reason for his refusal to eat, though it is generally ascribed to religious fanaticism. About eighteen months ago his mind became clouded and since that time he has had few lucid periods. It is his hobby while suffering from this condition to go without food. Only six weeks in all he has eaten, and he has fasted for twenty-eight days "fast," Lake Superior, I believe—and in that stock most of the money have been sunk.

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### PENNSYLVANIA BANK FAILS BECAUSE OF SPECULATION.

Deposits of National Bank of Doylestown More Than \$1,000,000 and Capital Stock Only \$100,000.

Doylestown, Pa., July 20.—The following notice was posted on the door of the Doylestown National Bank to-day:

"This bank is closed, and in the hands of the Comptroller of the Currency."

(Signed) "T. P. KANE, Deputy Comptroller of the Currency."

"J. W. SCHOFIELD, National Bank Examiner."

The posting of the notice caused considerable excitement in the town, as the deposits of the institution are large. The bank examiners have been working on the books for two days past, but no statement has been issued either by them or the officers of the bank. George P. Brock is cashier of the bank.

"The losses," said Deputy Comptroller Kane to-day, "will absorb the entire surplus and capital stock of the bank. In other words, the total loss will amount to \$250,000, and it devolves upon the directors and stockholders to make up this deficiency."

Francis A. Worthington, a director, said: "The president and cashier ran things to suit themselves. I suppose I will lose \$100,000. I believe—and in that stock there was some speculation—some of the most of the money have been sunk."

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